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MERE MENTION.

Rev. Father Monfort went to Pinal Tuesday.

Adolf Nieman was down from Riverside this week.

Mr. Robert Schultz, of Pinal, was in Florence this week.

Mr. W. J. Jennings came down from De Noon Thursday.

Mr. Frank Maxfield was in from Mineral Hill this week.

Hon. A. J. Doran came down from De Noon last Tuesday.

Deputy Collector C. H. Webber went to Pinal Monday.

Mr. John McCoy, of Silver King, was in town this week.

Prof. A. Guzman has been in town several days this week.

Mr. Julian Laughlin visited Phenix this week, on business.

Mrs. J. Peyton has gone to Silver King on a business visit.

Mr. C. W. Fuller is cutting his second crop of alfalfa for this year.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Eley returned from Casa Grande Thursday.

Mr. Wm. E. Guild made a flying visit to Phenix last Saturday.

S. M. Franklin, Esq., of Tucson, visited Silver King last week.

Mrs. W. H. Merritt and son came down from De Noon Tuesday.

Mr. C. W. Culver, of Pinal, made a trip to Casa Grande this week.

Mr. Samuel Sweeney was in from his ranch at Picoch yesterday.

The lunar prophets say the present new moon portends a wet month.

Lieut. Watson, of San Carlos, made a brief visit to Florence last week.

Mr. James Elder was in town this week from his Riverside gold mines.

Col. Robt. Williams, of Silver King, was in town Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. W. H. Sutherland came down from his ranch above Riverside, Tuesday.

Mr. Geo. A. Stone got back Wednesday from a visit to his ranch near Pinal.

Miss Gustie Hildebrand returned last Monday from her visit to Silver King.

Mr. Wm. McQueen, of Silver King, has gone east on a visit of two or three months.

Mr. N. A. Brown, owner of the Monarch stage line, visited Florence last Sunday.

The supply of lemons run short this week and the soda works received a benefit.

Church services will be held at the Court House at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. tomorrow.

Judge W. H. Benson, of Pinal, visited Florence this week on a short business trip.

The young men set out on the school house back lot spring are all growing nicely.

The Mexican circus will give its farewell performance tonight and tomorrow night.

Assistant Superintendent Randolph Adams, of the Silver King, went to Tucson Monday.

Capt. H. H. Adams returned to Tucson Thursday. He will revisit Florence very shortly.

Mr. Wm. E. Guild is having his stage and livery office newly papered and repainted.

A large number of swimmers from the rodeo, along with a score in town yesterday morning.

A little boy four months of age, the son of one of the Mexican circus men, died last Wednesday.

Dr. W. L. Wardwell went to Tucson Monday to file on a tract of land under the Florence canal.

Mr. Chas. Starr has leased his half interest in the Florence Soda Works to his partner, Wm. Smith.

Mr. C. O. Miles, step son of Mr. C. D. Henry, has returned to Florence after an absence of a year.

Mr. A. L. Pogue of the Florence canal company, returned this week to his home in Richmond, Indiana.

Dr. Harvey was called to Casa Grande Saturday night to attend Mrs. L. L. English, who was very ill. He returned Monday, leaving his patient very much better.

A party of Texas farmers were in Florence this week looking after land upon which to settle. They originally intended going to Phenix, but concluded to remain here.

Mr. Ernest Lohman came over from Phenix this week to look for an opening for his barber shop. Mr. Lohman is an artist in his line and owns a fine establishment in Phenix.

Mr. F. H. Uthmeier, of the Daily Arizona, Phenix, visited Florence this week and expressed himself greatly pleased with the outlook. He returned home Wednesday.

The Star says: "J. J. Devine, of Florence, has gone out to his mine in the Comstock district where he is making arrangements to commence systematic work on his mine."

Following are the capital prices for the June drawing received by S. H. Drachman, local agent in Tucson, 90443, 21678, 49506, 80032, 45212, 93525, 69370, 94908, 87595.

Mr. Perry Wildman and wife, of Pinal, have gone to California. Mr. Wildman will return in a week or two but Mrs. Wildman will remain in California during the summer.

Very little political talk is heard upon the streets and scarcely any interest is shown in the coming local elections. The people are all too busy making money to talk politics.

The Sisters of St. Joseph will give an entertaining school exhibition next Wednesday evening, June 20th, upon the close of their school term. A very pleasant occasion is anticipated.

Mr. Geo. A. Brown has fitted up a fine room for Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express office, on his premises west of the Court House, and he will be nicely fixed up therein in a few days.

Sixty nine miles of the Southern Pacific railroad is within the limits of Pinal county. The road is assessed at \$8,000 per mile, giving a total assessed valuation in this county of \$552,000.

Mr. J. P. Gabriel is still improving and is now able to sit up several times during the week, although his wounds are still very sore. He will likely be about again in a week or two.

Mr. K. McKenzie, who has put in ten busy years at the Silver King blacksmith shop, left this week for a visit of a month to California. He has certainly earned a short vacation.

Mr. Wm. Clarke will spend the summer months at his Success mine, formerly the Old Hat mine, at American Flag, in the Santa Catalinas. He has a very promising gold prospect at that place.

The express company has raised its rates on fruit shipments from Phenix to all points east and west to a price that is almost prohibitory. The rate from Phenix to Florence is \$4.50 per 100 pounds.

Mr. John Lawrence, of San Francisco, contemplates establishing a wholesale wine and liquor house in Florence the present summer. He will probably visit this place in a few weeks to secure a suitable building.

Mr. J. M. Ochoa has received a new hay press with a capacity of ten tons per day. It is a very satisfactory machine and does splendid work. He has also received a new barley crusher that is a perfect model of its kind.

The sound of the hammer and saw is heard in all portions of the town and new buildings are being erected and old ones remodeled and repaired. This is a very good indication, as mid-summer is usually accounted the dustiest season of the year.

Mr. J. M. Ochoa has added a handsome new refrigerator to his meat market and hereafter all his patrons will receive their meats thoroughly cooled. The necessity for such an auxiliary to the meat market has been long felt by the enterprise Mr. Ochoa will be appreciated by the public.

Mr. Colton has completed his surveys of the Florence Canal, its reservoirs and laterals and his force has retired from the field. His notes show that he has a complete record of the contour of the whole country adjacent to the canal between the Gila river and the railroad.

Mrs. Virginia R. de Gonzalez, wife of Mr. G. N. Gonzalez, died quite suddenly last Sunday night, of cholera morbus, bilious colic some like complaint. She was ill only an hour or two and Dr. Harvey having been called away to Casa Grande, no medical attendant was available. She was 38 years of age.

Mr. Chas. D. Putnam, of Riverside, Pinal county, died in Tucson on the 8th instant, of pneumonia. He was an old resident of this county and was engaged in stock raising and mining. He was a native of Canada and at the time of his death was about sixty years of age. He leaves a wife and several children.

Mr. G. Guillani brought in a lot of fine ripe peaches last Saturday that were as fine as peaches ever grow. In Guillani's experience the seedlings are preferable to the grafted or budded peaches; they ripen earlier, are better in quality and bear heavier. The apricot, on the contrary, is improved by budding or grafting.

Col. Elmer A. Howard has returned from his visit east, accompanied by several Kansas City capitalists who have gone to inspect the Monarch and other mines a few miles south of the Vekol. They are good properties and it is probable that Col. Howard will form a strong new company to work the Mineral World and adjacent claims.

Attention is called to the new advertisement of Messrs. Talbot & Hubbard, hardware merchants of Phenix, who have recently established a large and complete establishment in that city. Their goods are of eastern manufacture and their prices are extremely reasonable. They are prepared to supply anything in their line with promptness and will give especial attention to mail orders.

A fine body of gold bearing ore, averaging \$57 to the ton, has been encountered by Mr. A. W. McCullen on his Tom Scott claim, Mineral Creek. The new find is on a parallel ledge to the original location, and is being opened by a tunnel run in on the ledge.

Mr. K. McKenzie is associated with Mr. McCullen in some fine properties at Mineral Creek and the prospects are good for a large and active camp there.

Messrs. Thos. Haley, W. Southerin and D. H. Snyder have developed some fine silver mines in the vicinity, the belonging to the latter gentleman being excellent copper mines.

The indiscriminate discharge of firearms within the limits of the town should be absolutely prohibited. It is not unusual for nervous people to be startled with several shots fired in succession near by, although the fact that they were the mere emptying of a gun after a day's hunt, or fired in target practice, is not apparent to the timid listener. It is far better that the practice be suppressed entirely.

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The San Pedro company received yesterday returns from a shipment of four tons and a half of ore, sent in to Tucson as return freight for the wagon which had brought out the timber. That part of the ore taken from the rich chute at the 175 feet level, ran 400 ounces to the ton. That taken out in straightening the old shaft near the surface ran 175 ounces to the ton. The tender writes that he has about 35 tons of ore, running from 30 to 50 ounces to the ton, which he took out of the shaft and levels before reaching the rich ore chute, and besides this large body of milling ore of about the same grade, he has previously dumped. The shaft has been straightened and timbered, and the work of sinking to the 300 feet level is being pushed as rapidly as possible. A depth of 200 feet has now been reached. At the 300 feet level a drift will be run to the rich ore chute or chimney.—St. Louis Mining News.

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Rich Mines. The Southern Pacific and Atlantic Silver Mines, adjoining each other in the Casa Grande District, 20 miles South of the Railroad, are now proving themselves the richest properties of the District. The most thorough expert has examined these properties and the shipping record shows what the mines are capable of doing. From what can be learned it appears that large capital will test these estimable properties and from what THE ENTERPRISE has seen and known of this A. No. 1 property, it would not be prophesying much from the mark when it is asserted that it will command a very large sum in any market, as 10,000 tons are represented to be showing up and it is an ore that runs very high.

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The Sample mine on the San Pedro, owned and worked by the San Pedro mining company, still continues to push ahead their development work, which is progressing most favorably, the main working shaft is down 300 feet and orders have been issued to continue it down 100 feet further. Lateral drifts are also being run and fine bodies of rich ore are being discovered. The company have erected good hoisting works and made such other improvements as will facilitate the opening up of the mine in first class shape.—Citizen.

Mr. John C. Loss, of Casa Grande was in the city yesterday purchasing supplies for his mines. Mr. Loss has been very successful in handling his mines, and is doing much to develop the Casa Grande district.—Citizen.

An elegant assortment of handsome Lawns of the most exquisite patterns, just received at Rittenhouse's.

Some of the big ranchmen in the northern part of New Mexico are putting up weighing scales and will hereafter sell their steers weighed on the ranch. This plan cuts off the shrinkage. It is only a question of time when this will be the general practice, and buyers will come after stock on the range the same as they do among farmers in the East.—Wilcox Stockman.

Our Florence Letter.

[Tucson Star.]

Florence, A. T., June 10. Editor:—Since my letter last week things are fast shaping up in and around here for the coming boom this fall. The big water reservoir on the Gila river above the Buttes is all the talk on the streets. I learn there is in the Gila river about seven or eight miles above town a narrow place in the river, one hundred and forty feet wide from bank to bank, with a solid rock bottom, the sides 50 feet high, and both perpendicular. Over this box or flume the water flows at lowest tide three feet deep on an average, running at the rate of five miles an hour. The fact I learn from Peter Brady, who has resided in this valley for the

LAST EIGHTEEN YEARS, and whom no one doubts. Above the box is an open valley of eight hundred acres to serve as the great reservoir or lake, to say nothing of the immense back water. This reservoir can be made fifty feet deep, the bottom of which will be twelve feet above the head gate of the Florence Canal Company, it being the upper head gate of the ditch system here.

Thus it will be seen all the water that can be used on our lands can be secured, and it is suggested that the connection, engineers, who are familiar with such work, tell me that the dam at the entrance to the box can be constructed at much less than the usual cost of such work, and made doubly secure, owing to the fact that the conditions surrounding the locality where the dam is to be made. I learned late yesterday evening that a location for the dam had been made, but whether by the ditch company or an outsider I did not learn. At any rate it is an enterprise that

COULD NOT BE OVERLOOKED. In fact it will become a necessity, with it there will be no trouble about the quantity of water.

VACANT LANDS. There is a large amount of land to be entered yet, though the impression I think is very generally held out that most or all of the best lands have been entered, especially by those who seem to know. I presume it will be so as long as there is a large amount of relinquishments for sale. It will be remembered that these canals cover the greater portion of near twenty townships, aggregating three hundred thousand acres of good land. I don't suppose that more than one-third of that amount has been entered at the home land office, to say nothing of the sixteenth and thirty-sixth sections of school land that cannot be entered, but can be improved and occupied. So you see there is much land yet to be entered by those who wish homes.

HARRY.

Where to Buy. A large assortment of summer goods of all kinds has just arrived, and in gentlemen's underwear we have an endless variety at very cheap prices. New hats, caps, boots, shoes, etc., are received every week. In our grocery and fancy goods department we keep a full stock and are prepared to fill orders by mail as promptly and carefully as though ordered in person. Call and see our goods and learn our prices before making purchases and we assure that we can give you complete satisfaction.

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The A. O. U. W. The growth of the A. O. U. W. has indeed been marvelous. Twenty years ago in the village of Meadville, Pa., a little band of thirteen men were gathered together to found a society to help their fellow men. Their leader was a locomotive engineer, and they organized a society which is now known in every village and hamlet, and from the modest beginning of thirteen members has now grown to include over 450,000 men. On the 27th day of October 1868 this beginning was made, and to-day its members are enjoying the fruits of the labor of these thirteen men. The character of the man at the head of this movement had a great deal to do with its success. He was a locomotive engineer with all the name implies—devotion to duty, unflinching and irresistible. The institution has nothing to do with labor or laborers per se, politics or religion directly, but is concerned with the protection of the family and the benefit of all mankind. It is called ancient because the principles upon which it is based are as old as the everlasting hills. All are workers and earn their bread in one way or another, always giving the world the equivalent of what they receive. The A. O. U. W. lodges are found throughout the country doing the work for which they were established.—Optic.

Where to Buy Trees. R. E. Farrington, of the Phenix Nursery, at Phenix, has a large stock of fruit and ornamental trees which he is selling at reasonable figures. A free catalogue and price-list will be forwarded by mail on application. Arizona white ash 1 1/2 to 4 feet at \$45 per 1000.

Wishing to see Arizona a populous and prosperous State, we earnestly request Congress to pass Delegate M. Smith's arduous well and reservoir bill. We really need assistance from Government to prospect our great plains and valleys for artesian water. If a sufficient quantity of the fluid can be found, this territory would in a few years rival California in population and wealth. Her area is large. She has rich mines of all kinds; vast forests; great areas of grass lands and semi-primitive belts; but water in many places is scarce; not that the Territory is really or snowless, but because of the loose formation of some rocks and soils.—Prescott Courier.

Ice cream will be served on Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday evenings of each week at the City Bakery. Call and try it.

JUAN P. CARRERA, Proprietor.

Mexico's "Cradle of Liberty."

After Cortez conquered Mexico and established himself in the valley of Mexico, the Tarascan sent ambassadors to him and asked for teachers who would instruct them how to approach and make terms with the all-powerful Christian gods. The Spaniards forwarded missionaries, who turned the Tarascan by thousands from their idols and baptized them into the Catholic faith. The Tarascan became allies of the Spaniards, paid tribute and were loyal. When Nino de Guzman, the first president of the first anadeia, as the Spanish form of government was called, started out to conquer the country of Jalisco, on the western coast of Mexico, he called on the calzonin, the king of the Tarascan, to furnish 10,000 warriors and a vast amount of gold and silver. The calzonin promptly supplied the men, but told the president he could not furnish all the gold. Guzman affected to disbelieve him and burned him, at the same time torturing many subordinate officials of the Tarascan dynasty to make them reveal the supposed hiding place of the treasure. The Tarascan dynasty fell; the frightened Indians hid among the hills and mountains about Lake Patzenzo. They have never forgotten that awful persecution.

The good Bishop Quiroga spent his life trying to undo the mischief wrought by Guzman. He won the Tarascan back to the faith and to greatness of himself, but the portion of the country they inhabit has been the breeding place of so many revolutions that it has become known in Mexican history as "the cradle of liberty."—Cor. Globe-Democrat.

Exhibition of St. Elmo's Fire. A remarkable exhibition of St. Elmo's fire was recently witnessed by the writer on the summit of the Sentinel mountain, in Austria, about 10,000 feet above the sea level.

The synoptic weather chart shows that there was at the time a ridge of high pressure over central Europe, with light and variable winds at the lower level stations. On the Sentinel it had rained all day, with a southwest to southerly gale. The pressure, which was high nearly 30.7 inches, the normal being 30.3 inches, was falling irregularly, and the temperature was about 37 degs. Fahrenheit. About 6 p. m., with a sudden shift of the wind to the north, the pressure rose and the temperature fell to 30 degs. Fahrenheit, causing rain to change to sleet and snow. About this time brushes of violet light were noticed outside the observatory upon the points of the lightning rod, the atmosphere cups, etc., and even upon projecting pieces of rock. From the heads of the observers and from their outstretched hands similar brushes of light streamed (resembling the positive discharge from an electric machine), accompanied by a crackling noise and a prickling sensation. This continued until the wind, which previously had fallen to a calm, changed its direction to southwest, and the pressure became stationary. The temperature soon rose above the freezing point, but the snow continued to fall for some hours.—Electrical Review.

In a French Insane Asylum. The expressions of insanity, however varied their form, are not interesting to the specialist unless they give indications of a mood differing from those characterizing a mental state already classed. "Aubertin, the would-be murderer of M. Jules Ferry, belongs to the very common class of which the larger half of his family of insanity is composed—the general paralytics. The symptoms are easily distinguished. Come and see for yourself," said the professor, who had spied four women under the guidance of a nurse passing before the window. We met them as they entered the hall. "Well, where are you going?" he asked one of them. "To fetch the soap," answered the woman addressed, with a slight hesitation of the lips. "Now watch her walk," said the professor to me as the little procession moved on. I noticed the same incoherence of motion as of speech. These are the symptoms whereby to distinguish the general paralytic, whether his illness manifests itself under the form of hypochondria, melancholia, mania, monomania, furor, hallucination, or softening of the brain.—Paris Cor. New York Post.

A curious manner of deception in sound was developed the other day through a bet. One man wagered that if blindfolded a person is unable to tell the direction from which any sound comes. A gentleman was blindfolded, and another, holding two silver coins between his fingers, snapped them together right under his friend's nose. When called on to locate the sound the gentleman was positive it was behind him. Experiment was tried from every side, but the gentleman was not able to tell correctly just where the sound came from.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Sam Drachman, of Tucson sold ticket No. 46,212 in the Little Louisiana Lottery that drew a prize of \$250 in the June drawing. Sam is agent for the Louisiana State Lottery Company as well as the Little Louisiana.

Louisiana Lottery tickets and Little Louisiana Lottery tickets sold by S. H. Drachman, of Tucson. Buys and sells R. R. tickets and sells the best cigars in Arizona.

Mowing Machines. The celebrated Osborne Mowing Machines for sale at W. C. Smith & Co.'s. They will be sold at very low prices.

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Call and Settle. All persons indebted to the undersigned are requested to settle before July 1st. Upon that date all accounts will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. W. M. HICKY. Florence, A. T., June 15, 1888.

Probate Notice. Estate of James S. Douglas, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the Estate of James S. Douglas deceased to the creditors of said deceased to present their claims against the said deceased to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at the office of Notary Public, at Florence, Arizona, for the transaction of the business of said estate in Florence, Pinal county, Arizona. W. H. SUTHERLAND, Administrator of the estate of James S. Douglas deceased. Dated June 15th, 1888.

During the prevalence of the epidemic in Illinois last year, the governor of Michigan to protect the health and happiness of the people of that state, issued a proclamation forbidding the importation of live stock from the infected districts. This made the Chicago diseased meat men chuckle. Well it might, the prevalence of disease made live stock cheaper in the Chicago market than was ever known before. The dressed beef men bought it, killed and dressed and shipped it in the carcass into Michigan for consumption. Just how much of it was diseased and unfit for food will never be known.—Home and Food.

40,000 pounds of lime for sale at J. M. Ochoa's.

The board of drainage of the valley of Mexico has made a contract for the building of the Tequiquiac tunnel. It will be 9520 meters long, and will have a brick lining with an inner coat of cement. The cost is to be \$2,350,000, and the job is to be completed in two and a half years.

Two French biologists have been making experiments in typhoid fever vaccination. In mice inoculated with cultured typhoid bacilli genuine typhoid fever seemed to be produced, but in mice inoculated with broth in which the germs had lived but no longer containing them, subsequent inoculation with the most intense typhoid virus was resisted.

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